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For: METHOD OF LAMINATING DECORATIVE FABRIC
TO HARD, SMOOTH SUBSTRATES AND PRODUCT
THEREOF

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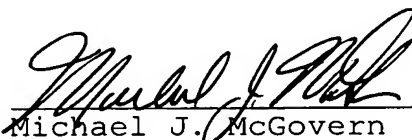
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In addition, Applicant states that for the purposes of the examination that decorative items were made according to the process of claim 1, lines 1-10, and incorporating the product features of claim 15, lines 1-8 were sold more than one year before the earliest priority date herein. In addition, decorative items having glitter on decorative fabric were also sold more than one year before the earliest priority date herein.

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